FOR the purpose of permitting the Secretary of Personnel to approve certain requests under certain conditions for compensation for unused annual leave.

BY repealing

Article 64A - Merit System
Section 37(d)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1972 Peplacement Volume and 1975 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 64A — Merit System
Section 37(d)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1972 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 37(d) of Article 64A - Merit System, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1972 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed:

Article 64A - Merit System

37.

[(d) The head of any department shall have authority to compensate at the regular rate of pay any employee for any days of extra service rendered by reason of any vacation or weekly leave which he may waive, beginning January 1, 1942, when funds are available for making such payments.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That new Section 37(d) be and it is hereby added to Article 64A — Merit System, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1972 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 64A - Merit System

37.

(D) THE HEAD OF ANY DEPARTMENT MAY REQUEST THE SECRETARY OF PERSONNEL TO APPROVE COMPENSATION FOR AN EMPLOYEE, WHEN FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE, AT THE REGULAR RATE OF PAY, FOR ANY ANNUAL LEAVE DAYS IN EXCESS OF THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT ALLOWED UNDER THE LAW WHICH THE EMPLOYEE HAS BEEN DENIED THE OPPORTUNITY TO ACCUMULATE OR USE. THE SECRETARY OF PERSONNEL MAY APPROVE REQUESTS FOR COMPENSATION OF UNUSFD ANNUAL LEAVE DAYS ONLY WHEN THOSE REQUESTS ARE ACCOMPANIED BY WRITTEN DOCUMENTATION PRESENTED BY THE REQUESTING DEPARTMENT HEAD OUTLINING THE